## 1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 2 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 3 WESTERN DIVISION 4 5 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Case No. CV 17-02141 SB(Ex) AND THE STATE OF 6 CALIFORNIA, ex rel. EDWIN GVALEVECH. 7 ORDER OF DISMISSAL ON **STIPULATION** Plaintiffs, 8 v. 9 KROGER SPECIALTY 10 PHARMACY, INC., KROGER SPECIALTY PHARMACY CA2, 11 LLC, ERL MEDICAL CORPORATION, EMMANUEL R. 12 LIM, MD., 13 Defendants. 14 15 Based upon the Stipulation of Dismissal filed by the parties on April 20, 16 2023, and the separate consents to dismissal filed by the United States and the State 17 of California (Dkt. Nos. 164, 165, 166), IT IS ORDERED that Plaintiffs' claims 18 against Defendants ERL Medical Corporation and Emmanuel R. Lim, M.D., are 19 dismissed pursuant to Rule 41(a)(1)(A)(ii) without prejudice, and without costs or 20 disbursements to any party. A final judgment will be entered separately. 21 Dated: April 20, 2023 22 23 Stanley Blumenfeld, Jr. 24 United States District Judge 25 26 <sup>1</sup> The parties' proposed order states that "the action" is dismissed without prejudice. The Court dismissed Plaintiffs' claims against the Kroger Defendants with prejudice, and it does not appear that the stipulation of dismissal—to which the Kroger Defendants are not signatories—was intended to alter the nature of the prior 27 28 dismissal.